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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Mathur, et al.

Serial No. : 09/202,681

Filed : December 23, 1999

Title : THERMOSTABLE PHOSPHATASES

Art Unit : 1652

Examiner : Richard Hutson, Ph.D.

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

TRANSMITTAL LETTER AND PETITION FOR AUTOMATIC EXTENSION

Correspondence relating to this application is enclosed. The required fees are computed below. Please apply any charges not covered, or any credits, to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

Total Claims	42	-	58	=	0	\$0
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Independent	6	-	7	=	0	\$0
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First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claims

Applicant hereby petitions under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 for a 1 month extension of time.

TOTAL FEE DUE

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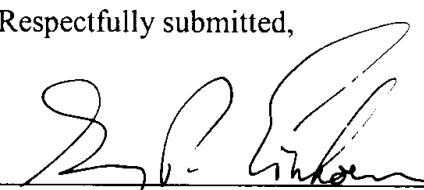
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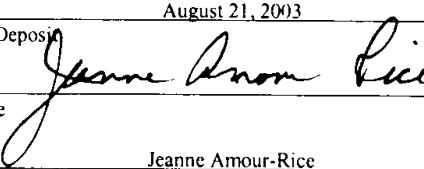
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